Executive Froclamation State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Our present way of life relies heavily on a large use of nonrenewable energy; and,

WHEREAS, The State of South Dakota imports approximately 95 percent of its energy, including natural gas, oil and coal; and,

WHEREAS, The conservation of energy can have a substantial impact on both the State's ability to meet future energy needs and on the stability of social, political and economic institutions around the world; and,

WHEREAS, The energy conservation education of our young people will vastly enhance the quality of life in our state and nation by developing a concerned, informed, aware citizenry:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 18, 1983, as

NATIONAL ENERGY EDUCATION DAY (NEED)

In South Dakota in order to promote the conservation of energy as an ethic vital to the future prosperity and security of a free and great nation. On this day I urge all schools to hold and support NEED activities in their schools and communities.



ATTEST:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifteenth Day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Three

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

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